

**Total Reported Membership of Organized Labour in Canada.**—At the close of 1924, the numerical strength of organized labour in Canada is given by the Department of Labour as follows:—international organizations, 2,034 local branches, with an aggregate membership of 201,981; non-international organizations, 268 branches and 21,761 members; independent units, 33, with 11,901 members; and National and Catholic unions, 94, with 25,000 members; grand total, 2,429 local branches and 260,643 members. As compared with 1923, this represents a decrease of 58 branches and of 17,449 members.

Table 1 shows by years the membership of trade unions in Canada since 1911. (See also diagram on p. 712 of the 1922-23 Year Book).

### 1.—Membership of Trade Unions in Canada, 1911-1924.

Years.	Members.	Years.	Members.
1911.....	133,132	1918.....	248,887
1912.....	160,120	1919.....	378,047
1913.....	175,799	1920.....	373,842
1914.....	166,163	1921.....	313,320
1915.....	143,343	1922.....	276,621
1916.....	160,407	1923.....	278,092
1917.....	204,630	1924.....	260,643

**International Trade Unions Operating in Canada.**—Table 2 gives the names of the 89 international labour organizations which now carry on operations in Canada, and contains:—(1) the number of branches which were in existence in the Dominion at the close of 1924, and (2) the reported membership. The reported membership in Tables 2 and 3 is given in italics where the information has been obtained from sources other than the headquarters of the indicated organization.

### 2.—International Trade Unions Operating in Canada.

NUMBER OF BRANCHES AND NUMBER OF MEMBERS IN CANADA, DECEMBER, 1924.

International Organizations.	No. of branches in Canada.	Reported members in Canada.
American Federation of Labour.....	9	1,049
Asbestos Workers, International Association of Heat and Frost Insulators and...	2	100
Bakery and Confectionery Workers' International Union of America.....	6	300
Barbers' International Union of America, Journeymen.....	33	1,218
Bill Posters and Billers of America, International Alliance of.....	2	34
Blacksmiths, Drop Forgers and Helpers, International Brotherhood of.....	20	1,500
Boilermakers, Iron Shipbuilders and Helpers, International Brotherhood of.....	35	2,270
Bookbinders, International Brotherhood of.....	12	300
Boot and Shoe Workers' Union.....	15	1,734
Brewery, Flour, Cereal and Soft Drink Workers, International Union of the United.....	11	500
Bricklayers, Masons and Plasterers' International Union of America.....	48	3,068
Bridge, Structural and Ornamental Iron Workers, International Association of...	8	618
Broom and Whisk Makers' Union, International.....	2	24
Carpenters and Joiners, Amalgamated Society of.....	20	1,700
Carpenters and Joiners of America, United Brotherhood of.....	96	7,650
Carvers' Association of America, International Wood.....	1	20
Cigarmakers' International Union of America.....	10	646
Cloth Hat and Cap Makers of America, United.....	4	340
Clothing Workers of America, Amalgamated.....	15	8,000
Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America.....	8	2,000
Conductors, Order of Sleeping Car.....	1	13
Coopers' International Union of North America.....	1	22
Electrical Workers, International Brotherhood of.....	31	4,325
Federal Employees, National Federation of.....	1	170
Firemen and Oilers, International Brotherhood of.....	3	111